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The State of Illinois seeks extension of the Order entered December 17, 1956, which authorized emergency diversion of water until January 31, 1957, so that such diversion may

be continued under the same conditions and restrictions to and including February 28, 1957.

The emergency in navigation caused by low water on the Mississippi River has been alleviated by the presently existing diversion but will become critical again during February, 1957, unless the diversion is continued throughout that month. Although precipitation in 1956 and thus far in 1957 has been below normal, it is expected that warmer weather and rains, which are to be expected during the last week in February and early March, will cause sufficient run-off of water into the Mississippi and its tributaries to bring the critical emergency to an end.

The facts of the emergency and the irreparable injury to to the State of Illinois unless relief be granted are described further in the Petition of the State of Illinois filed herein in November, 1956.

If relief sought herein is to be effective, it must be granted without undue delay. The Court is therefore respectfully requested to make a special order that other parties to this proceeding file their replies, if any, to this Motion within 10 days of service hereof.

WHEREFORE, Illinois respectfully moves this Court to extend the said temporary diversion Order until February 28, 1957.

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